

Taxes collected from colored persons to be applied to support of colored school.

taxes thus levied and collected from the taxable property and polls of colored persons shall be expended in keeping up a graded public school in said township for colored persons of both sexes between the ages of six and twenty-one years.

Trustees for white school.

SEC. 4. That George Howard, N. M. Lawrence, C. J. Austin, J. B. Coffield, T. H. Gatling, E. C. Farrar and R. C. Brown be and they are hereby constituted a board of trustees for the whites; that said board shall have power to fill all vacancies occurring in said board, to employ teachers and do all such acts as shall be necessary to carry on said graded school for the white children.

Powers.

Trustees for colored school.

SEC. 5. That John C. Dancy, H. C. Cherry, Victor E. Howard, Benjamin Norfleet, Edward Zoella, Henry S. Spragins and W. H. Knight be and they are hereby constituted a board of trustees for the graded school for the colored children; that said board shall have power to fill all vacancies occurring in said board, to employ teachers and do all such acts as shall be necessary to carry on said graded school for the colored children.

Powers.

Public school money for white children to be applied to support of white graded school.

SEC. 6. That the public school money which shall from time to time be collected under the general school law for public school purposes for the white children in said township, shall be applied for keeping up the public graded school for the whites, under the orders and directions of the board of trustees for said graded public school for white children.

Public school money for colored children to be applied to support of colored graded school.

SEC. 7. That the public school money which shall from time to time be collected under the general school law for public school purposes for the colored children in said township, shall be applied for keeping up the public graded school for the colored children, under the orders and directions of the board of trustees for said graded school for the colored children.

Liability of bond of county treasurer.

SEC. 8. That the county treasurer of Edgecombe county, and his sureties on his official bond, shall be responsible